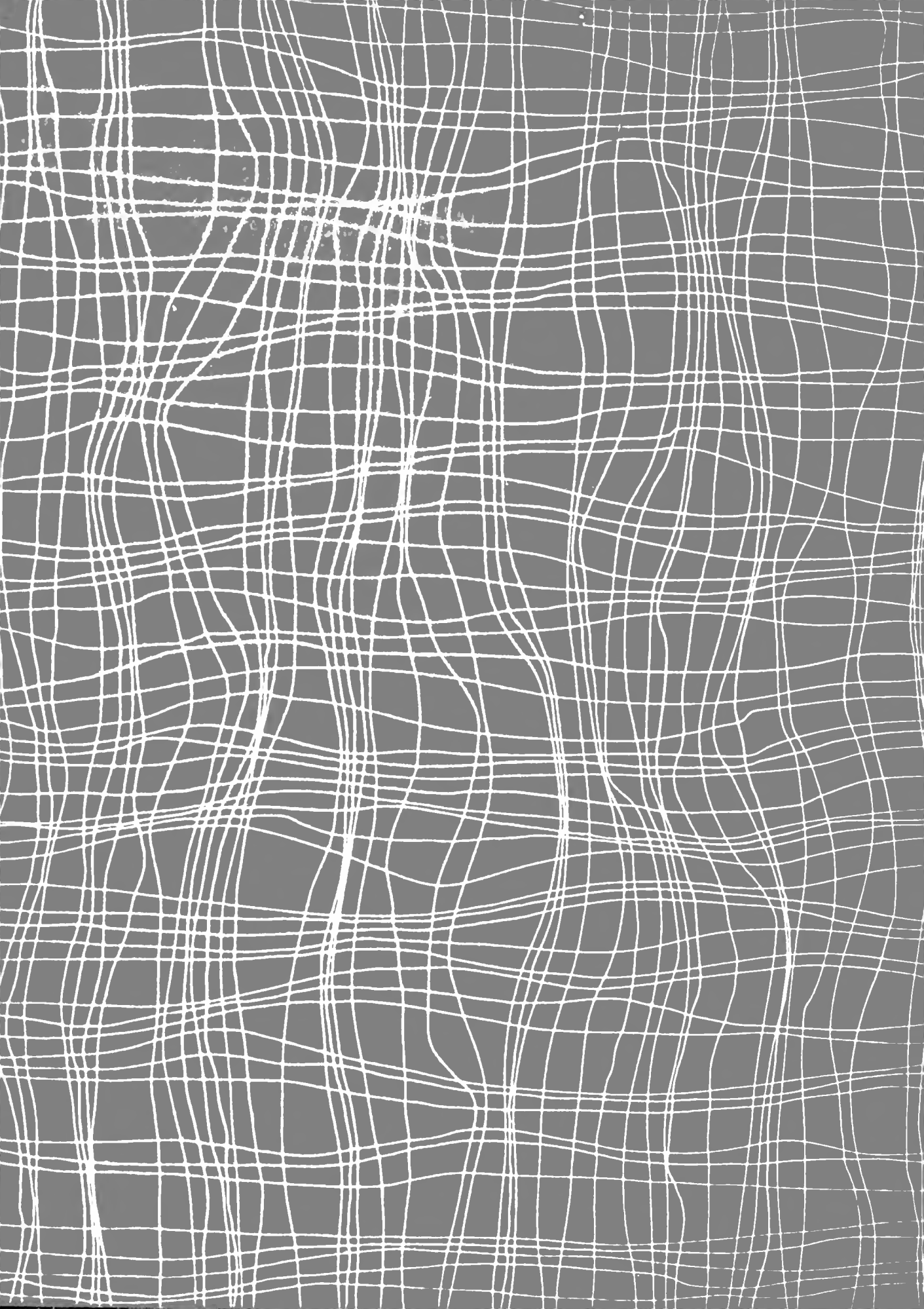




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Golden Memories

Reviewing our past four years within the halls of A.H.S., we, the seniors, have experienced challenge, achievement, and friendship, as well as defeat and despair. The challenge in academics, the achievement in rewards to our school and ourselves, and the friendship of fellow classmates and underclassmen have been times of pride and joy. Hardships which led to defeat and despair darkened our days but helped us mature and search for brighter outlooks.

All of these treasured moments have been preserved for us in the 1969 "Headlight", our yearbook of golden memories.

To Those Who Serve



Dave Arbs
Larry Duerkop
Wayne Duszynski
Mark Ely
Bruce Erickson
Rodger Frye
Bernard Lancette
John Meyer
Ronald Moy
Randy Nauertz
Tom Radtke
Greg Roach

Donald Winget
Randy Paulson
Rick Schroder
Ted Nyseth
Steve Grilley
Al Stouffer
Mike Emery
Steve Johnson
Tom Brost
David Brantner
Robert Crandall
Mark Peterson

Dedication

Four years ago when we were freshmen, you, too, were students of Altoona High School. You studied, participated in varied activities, and attained the reward, your diploma.

When the carefree days of high school ended, you accepted the role of being a serviceman. Now you are working for your country as well as for yourselves to have a better world in which to live. The reward will be lasting peace and a democratic way of life where you can assume yet another role, that of a noteworthy citizen of your home community.

We, the seniors of 1969, dedicate our annual, "The Headlight," to you.



Calendar of Events

AUGUST

Registration 27
First Day of School 28

SEPTEMBER

Labor Day 2

OCTOBER

Homecoming 3
Teachers Convention 10-11
Initiation
ACT for Seniors 19

NOVEMBER

End of First Quarter 1
Veterans' Program 11
Thanksgiving Vacation 28-29

DECEMBER

Concert 17
Christmas Tea 17
Christmas Dance 20

JANUARY

School Reconvenes 6
Semester Ends 17

FEBRUARY

Fill the Gym Night 7
Valentine's Day 14
Career Day 17

MARCH

Forensics 1
End of 3rd Quarter 19
Vacation 20-21
District Solo Ensemble 29

APRIL

Vacation 4-7
All-School Play 10
Spring Concert 24

MAY

Prom 2
District Music 10
Graduation 27
Last Day of School 29
Memorial Day 30



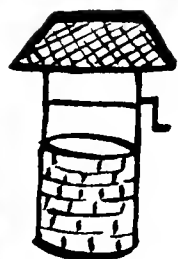
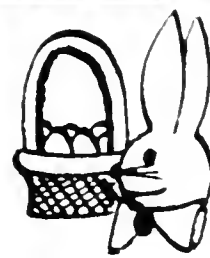
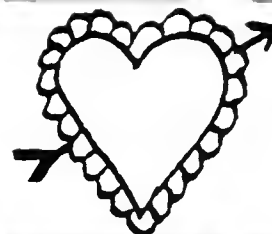


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Superintendent EINAR PEDERSEN



Principal ROBERT BREDESEN



Guidance Director WAYNE WEST



School Board Row 1: Einar Pedersen, William Peterson, Hollis Schauer, Harold Harris.
Row 2: Bernie Larson, Charles Beaver.



Secretary BARBARA BREDESEN



Secretary BEVERLY STAVES



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English, Coach



A. S. RUSSELL
Home Economics



MABEL GRAF
Business Education



ROBERT BREDESEN
Biological Sciences, Coach



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Electronics



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English, Library



ELIZABETH STABENOW
English, Speech



JAMES SCHROEDER
History, Coach



JULIA BOBERG
French



GERALD OLSON
Band



BETTY COWLEY
Social Studies



ARNOLD JOHNSON
Mathematics



VICTOR SORENSEN
Physical Sciences



GUNHILD O'BRIEN
English



JOHN STREIF
Industrial Arts, Coach



BETTY PASKAUSKY
Physical Education, Tumbling



LOIS KILDAHL
Chorus



DELORAS THOMPSON
Art



SALLY BRUMMOND
Practice Teacher

They Serve Us Well



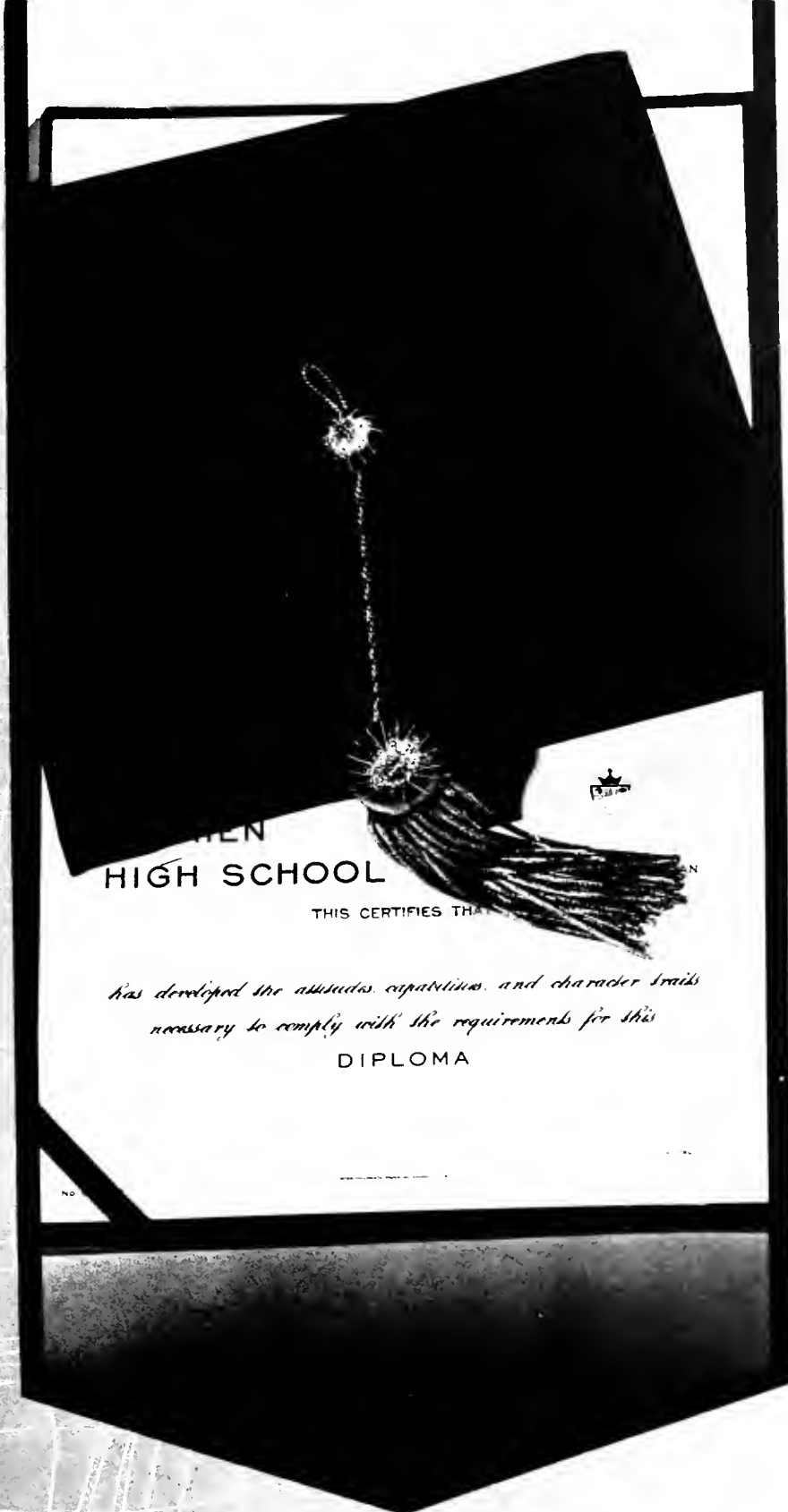
Those who transport our students: Dan Welke, Betty Berg, and Archie Carlson.



Kitchen Help: A. Lostetter, B. Schroder, S. Christ, C. Dorn, C. Odegard, L. Duszynski.



Cooks: Mrs. Christ, Mrs. Leland, Mrs. Erdman.



SENIORS LEAD THE WAY



Valedictorian

Diane Everson

Salutatorian

Annette Lostetter



Student Council President

Steven Struck



Class President
LaVonne Duszynski

Vice-President
Thomas Najacht



**Secretary-
Treasurer**
Jane Baker



Catherine Barnum



Harvey Baumbach



Linda Brost



James Bohn



Michael Carlson



Mary Daken



Cheryl Dorn



Jack Fischer



Kristine Gillett



Bruce Gardow



Vicky Hays



Sandra Hagedorn



Myrland Hateli



Susan Huftel



Curtis Hehl



Debra Klee



Douglas Leland



James Larson



Douglas Johnson



Steven Johnson



Phillip Melland



Diane Mickelson



Sharon Neill



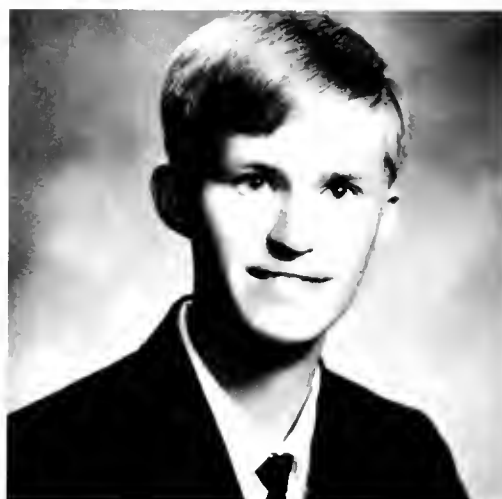
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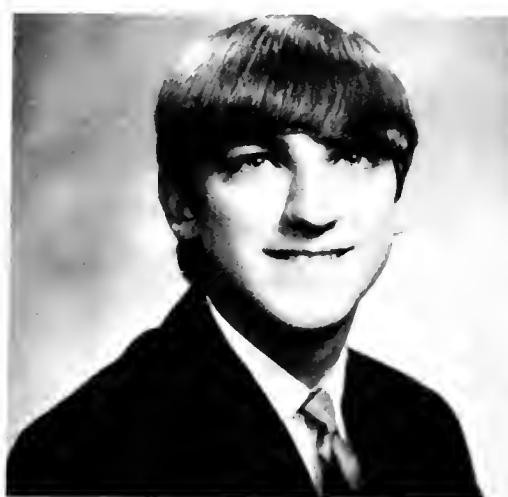
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Larry Olson



Jacqueline Paulson



John Poppe



Caryle Odegard



James Stein



Colleen Sundquist



Diane Thalacker



Barbara Schroder



James Thompson



Steven Vance



Belinda Snyder



Rosemary Welke



Cherie Winget

Senior Photos Not Available

**Duane Giese
Steven Rogers
Patrick Ruscin
Rodney Grimh**

A Day in the Life of a Senior



"Just a little bit more and it will be perfect."



"Mary had a little lamb"



"Ladies and gentlemen. May I present the A.H.S. band."



The perfect meal.



"Oh, Christmas tree, Oh, Christmas tree"



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Jim Stein, Kris Gillett, Bruce Gardow

Seniors' Who's Who



BIGGEST FLIRTS
Steve Rogers, Linda Brost



MOST UNDERSTANDING
Sandy Hagedorn, Pat Ruscin



BEST DRESSED
Diane Mickelson, Curt Hehl



BEST DANCERS
Caryle Odegard, Doug Leland



MOST HAPPY-GO-LUCKY
Cheri Winget, Doug Johnson, Cheri Dorn



WITTIEST
LaVonne Duszynski, Jack Fischer



BEST ALL AROUND
Jim Bohn, Debbie Klee



MOST ATHLETIC
Steve Struck, Annette Lostetter



SHYEST
Jim Thompson, Rose Welke



MOST DRAMATIC
Steve Vance, Colleen Sundquist



MOST INTELLECTUAL
Diane Everson, Larry Olson



MOST WELL LIKED
Jane Baker, Harvey Baumbach



UNDERCLASSMEN BOAST ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Class of '70



Advisors: Mr. West, Mrs. Graf. Officers: Bob Pecor, Vice-President; Pat Melland, Secretary-Treasurer; Neil Rafferty, President.



D. Board
B. Borgerding
L. Brennan
G. Bresina
J. Daken



C. Davis
L. DeWitz
J. Domer
D. Duerkop
C. Franson



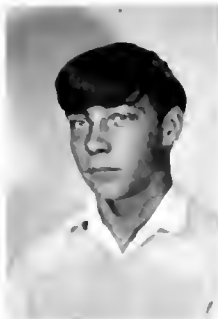
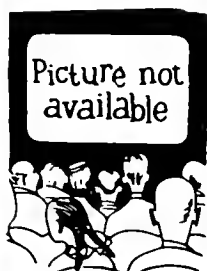
J. Goss
S. Gunderson
L. Harris
G. Hays
T. Hess



K. Howard
P. Hudson
M. Huftel
D. Hugdahl
J. Jaenke



**"We welcomed in our Junior year
Ready for labor, joy and tears.
In all our efforts we've done well—
we've helped our high school to excel.
We've got the spirit—do or die—
that makes us part of Altoona High.
With all the hope the future brings—
we look ahead to greater things."**



D. Johnson
M. Johnson
B. Lancette
R. Lancette
J. Leland

Juniors in Action



"Peek-a-boo. I see YOU!"



"Burn. baby. burn!"



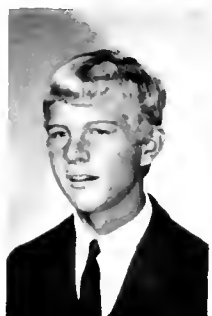
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T. Meyer
S. Mickelson



T. Nyseth
T. Ohnstad
D. Olson
R. Olson
S. Olson



D. Pecor
T. Planert
R. Radtke
N. Rafferty
R. Rasmussen



D. Rau
F. Rieder
A. Robinson
T. Rude



"Not another test!"



P. Schultz
S. Sedahl
P. Silvernail
N. Simonson
P. Simonson



Here he comes, Mr. America!



Surprise! Surprise! Surprise!



G. Squires
R. Squires
J. Thalacker
S. Thompson
D. Underwood



D. Underwood
D. Werner
B. Wick
C. Wittren
G. Wold

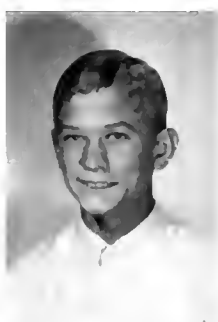


A. Zachau
S. Zemple
S. Zillmer

Class of '71



Advisors: Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. Sorensen, Miss Paskausky. Officers: Don Peterson, Vice-President; Bob Bohn, President; Sharon Crandall, Secretary-Treasurer.



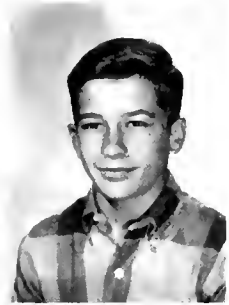
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B. Bohn
P. Brost



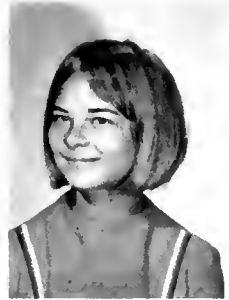
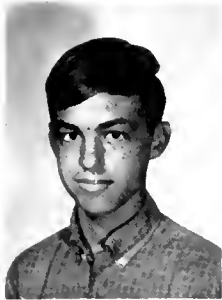
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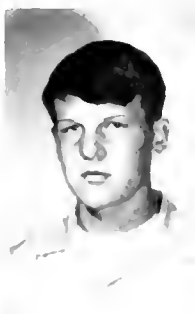


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K. Hoffman
B. Hubbard
G. Johnson
B. Klee



K. Kohls
M. Kovar
C. Larson
N. Manor
C. Ness

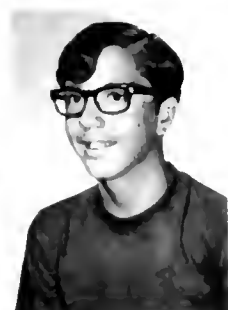




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M. Patneade
D. Paulson



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B. Philips
D. Quale
B. Radtke
D. Rajotte



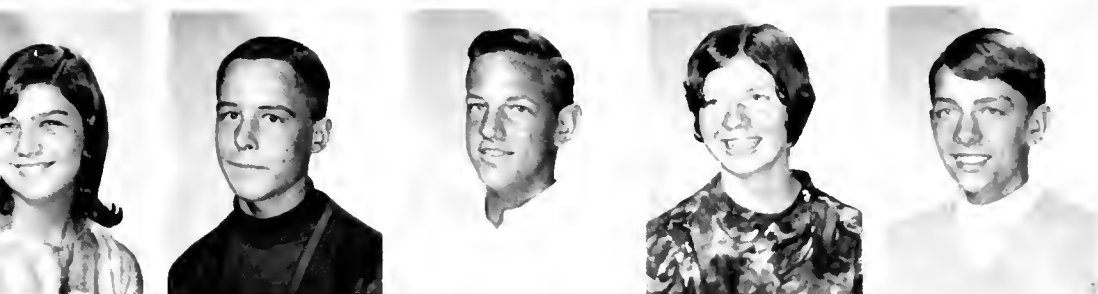
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J. Real
D. Ress
M. Rhode
S. Rumphol



G. Schlewitz
J. Schroeder
C. Sedahl
N. Semisch
S. Silvernail



G. Simonson
R. Sloat
D. Snyder
C. Tetzloff
D. Utberg



D. Wagner
S. Weisheipl
C. Wick
N. Wittren
R. Zachau

**"Our Sophomore Year has
found us all—
—walking proudly down the
hall,
We've always tried to do our
best—
—in sports and clubs and all the
rest,
We've got that extra drive and
fame—
That earned our famous
"Rails" name.
Thus, we look to the open door—
—and to what the future has in
store."**





D. Zillmer
L. Zimmerman



"It's still alive!"



If we ever get this done, it will be a miracle!



"Oh, no, I burned them!"



"If I have to stick another napkin in this float, I'll scream!"

Class of '72



Advisors: Mr. Bement, Mrs. Cowley, Mr. Streif, Mrs. Held. Officers: B. Rude, Vice-President; B. Pecor, President; S. Hugdahl, Secretary-Treasurer.



P. Balow
J. Beaver
R. Berg
V. Berg
G. Brennan

S. Christ
C. Cota
K. Davis
J. DeWitz
G. Dorn



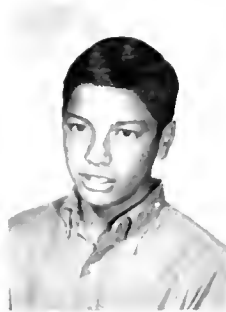
C. Everson
R. Franson
D. Giese
C. Gillett
J. Goodpaster



R. Grilley
M. Hagen
R. Harris
K. Hawkenson
L. Hemmingway



**Junior High is in the past—
We've Climbed the Steps;
We're Here at Last.
We Gladly Donned the
Freshmen Gleam—
and Tried to Learn the
New Routine,
Of Lockers, Bells, Teachers
And Books—
and Upperclassmen's
Dirty Looks.
But Now We've Learned
The High School Ways—
We'll Do Our Best in
Coming Days.**

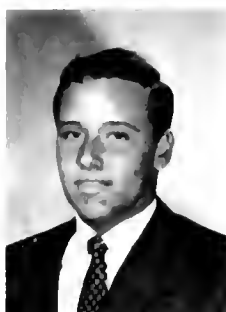


T. Huftel
S. Hugdahl
K. Klavetter
C. Larson
G. Larson



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J. Lowery
M. Markey
J. Marquardt
G. Ness
T. Patton



B. Pecor
T. Radtke
J. Reed
M. Rieder
W. Rude



R. Ryan
R. Squires
M. Stein
S. Stouffer
M. Sundquist



T. Trehey
L. Vance
D. Ventzke
K. Volkman
B. Wagner



R. Wang
S. Weisheipl
R. Wickland
E. Wilcox
S. Winger



J. Wold



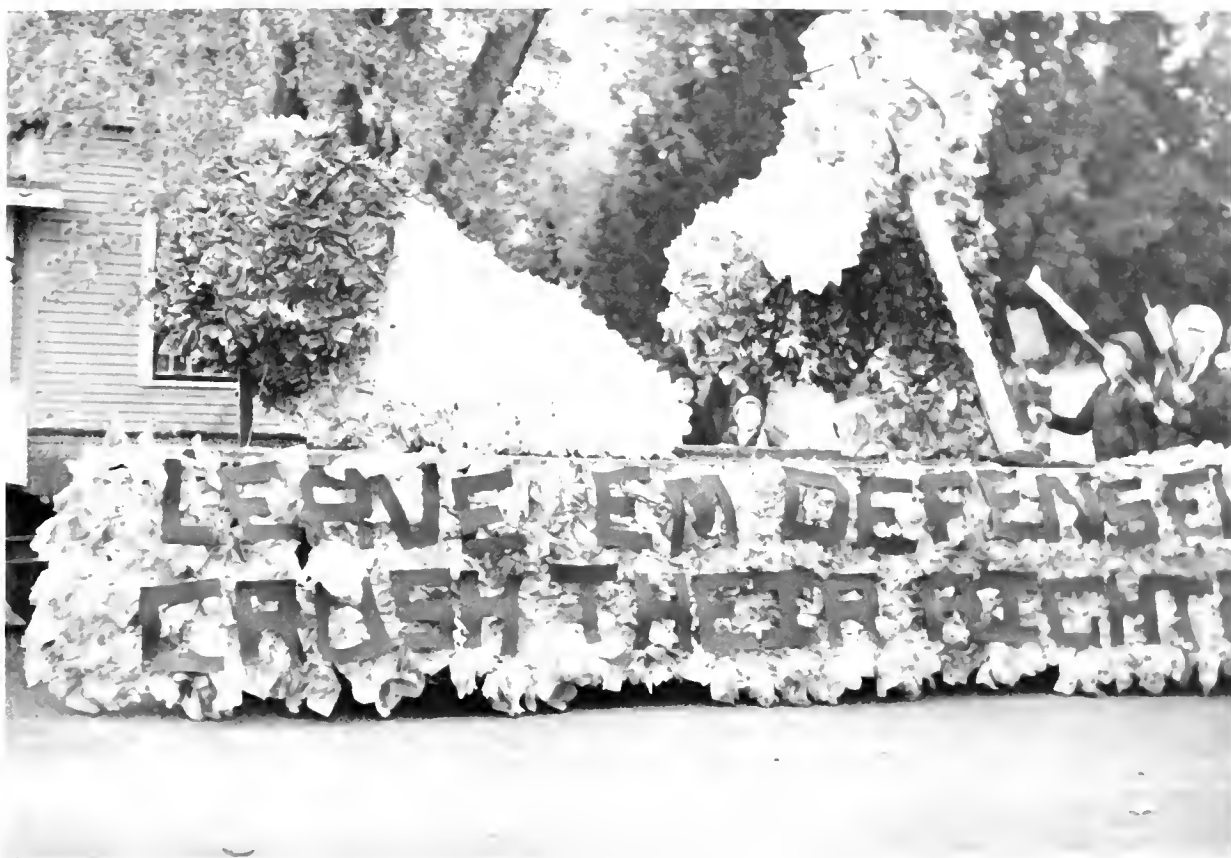
Boy, they didn't tell me this work was this hard!



Well, almost time to quit this job.



A typical Freshman class during Initiation Week.



Freshman Homecoming float tied for third place.



Freshmen King Bill Rude and Queen Bobbie Pecor were crowned by Sophomores Rick Zachau and Debbie Zillmer.

Our Student Government



Row 1: D. Paulson, B. Bohn, C. Wick, T. Ohnstad, B. Lancette, B. Pecor, C. Cota, G. Larson. Row 2: L. Duszynski, S. Struck, Mr. West, J. Bohn, D. Everson.



Candidates and their Managers waited to give their Campaign speeches.



Jim suggested scholastic honor society.



Steve promoted better student-teacher relationships.

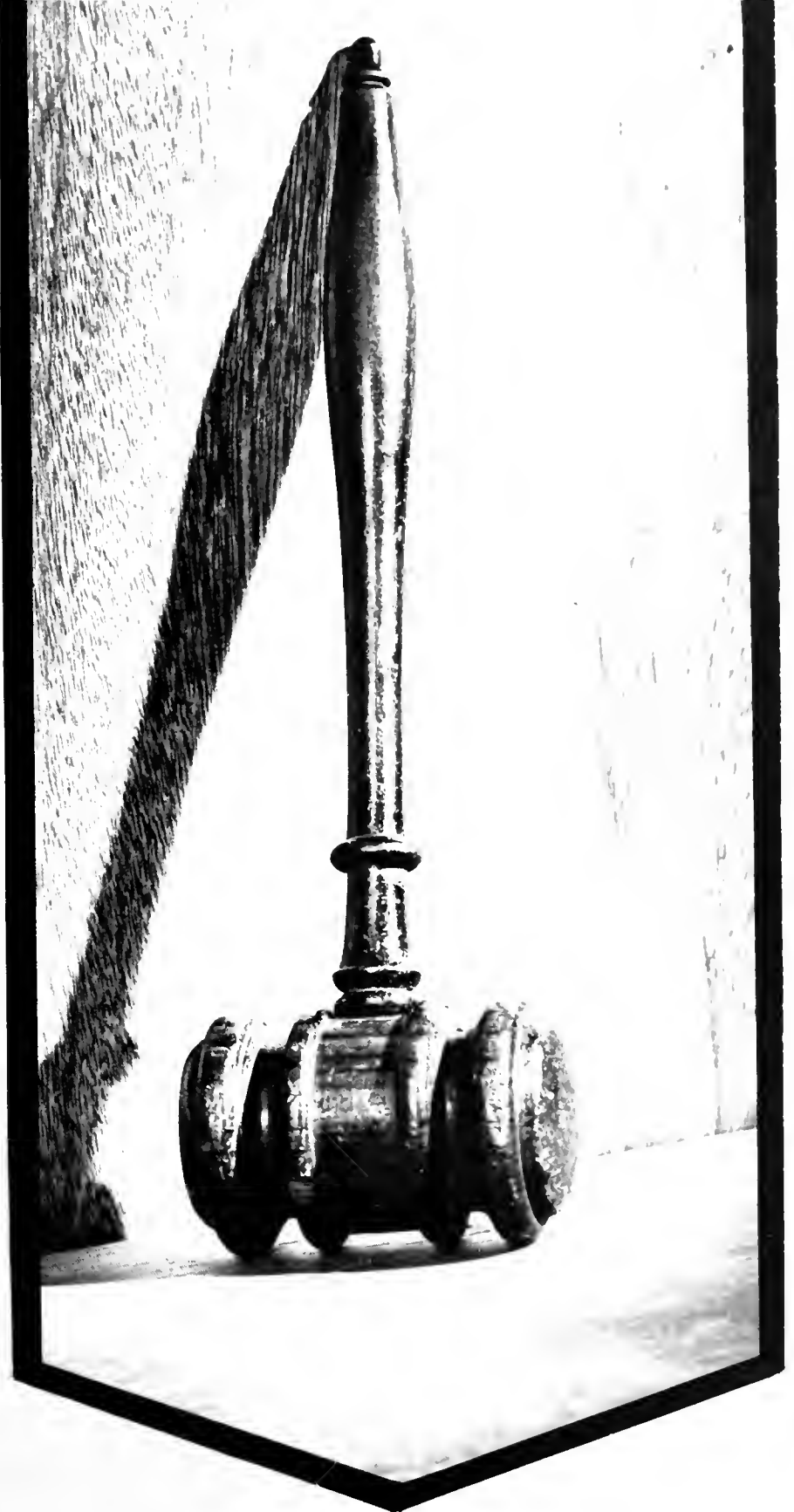
The Student Council showed its adaptability in the number and variety of projects it undertook throughout the year.

In the beginning of the year the Council aided in the purchase of parallel bars for the tumblers. Garbage cans were obtained for the school grounds. In order to promote athletic ability, the gym was opened for use on Saturday mornings. On November 5 students offered their services on a successful voters' drive in the community. Another project of great interest discussed by the Student Council was the possibility of enrolling a foreign exchange student in our school through the American Field Service Chapter.



Diane presented the idea of a coffee house.





ACTIVITIES ROUND OUT SCHOOL LIFE



Queen Sue-King Harvey

Junior Prom 1968

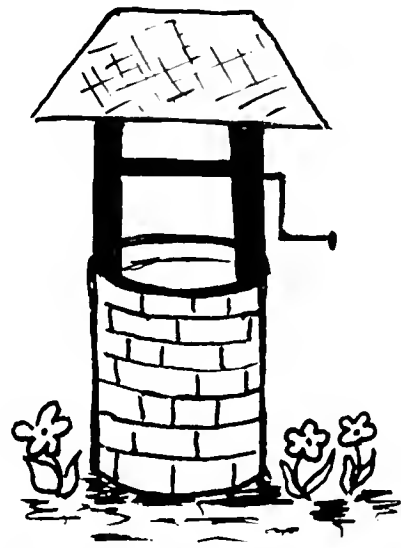
Some Enchanted Evening



Some Enchanted Evening was the theme chosen by the junior class of 1968. The music was provided by the George Day Trio and the decorations consisted of a gazebo in the center, a garden scene, a wishing well and an oval ceiling to complete the musical effects. King Harvey Baumbach and Queen Susan Huftel reigned over the occasion.

The Junior Prom of 1968 was truly a golden memory.







Queen Debbie—King Steve



Music Was by Love Sound Development



Homecoming 1968

Homecoming week held treasured memories for everyone. Classes hurried to complete their floats for the parade before the big game with Fall Creek, and Seniors won with their slogan, "Go-Phor A Victory".

Activities culminated on Friday night with the dance held in the gym and music provided by the L.S.D. King Steve Struck and Queen Debbie Klee had the following members in their court; Jim Bohn and Sue Huffel; Doug Johnson and Annette Lostetter; and Tom Najacht and Kris Gillett.

Inclusively, it was a week filled with golden mementos to be remembered.

Steve and Debbie beamed happily as they waited to receive their crowns. After the crowning, the royal couple and their attendants danced the first number.





Queen Jane—King Steve



V. Hays, C. Odegard, C. Dorn, D. Mickelson, C. Hehl, J. Stein, M. Carlson, D. Leland.



Santa makes his presence known.

The Seniors worked hard decorating the gym in gold and white trim accented with angels and holly to complete the theme of the Christmas Dance, "Holly Heaven". Senior Royalty for the winter dance were King Steve Johnson and Queen Jane Baker. Members of their court were: Diane and Curt, Cheri and Jim, Caryle and Mike, Vicky and Doug.

Santa arrived during the evening to present gifts to Coaches Bredesen, Schroeder, and Streif for their achievements.

The dance climaxed holiday school events and ushered in Christmas vacation.

Laugh Along with A.H.S.



Beware of the blue crusaders.



Mrs. Miller and her group visit A.H.S.



"Hey, honey, how about a little smooch??"



"Will someone sock-it-to-me?"



"Tiptoe through our tulips with us!!"



"Gee, Bob, I'll have to ask my mom!"



"Here's our bippy, where is yours??"



ONIONS IN THE STEW by Betty MacDonald

Director Mrs. Joan Barry
Student Director Carole Everson

CAST

Betty MacDonald LaVonne Dusynski
Don MacDonald Bill Klavetter
Anne Colleen Sundquist
Joan Debbie Minick
Howard Dan Ely
Claire Fessenden Kathy Struck
Roger Bob Meyer
Claud Bruce Gardow
Lesley Arnold Diane Mickelson
Margo Jane Harris
Miss Garvey Connie Lewis
Bee Gee Linda Rosenberg
Salsie Barb Schroder
Kitsie Lynn Brennen
Mrs. Watson's Harry Curt Chown
New-Motor Marvin Jim Bohn
Mr. Curtis Neil Rafferty
Mrs. Curtis Cherie Winget
Lyda Sue Huftel
Jim Jim Schlewitz
Dotty Vicky Hays
Joey Donny Rajotte
Phil Murray Darrell Board
Delia Murray Linda Brost
Old Buddy & Announcer John Gilbert
Grover Bob Rajotte



Is this a flower??



But can't you do something??



At last it's over!!



A smile of appreciation.



What's so secret??

CREW

Lynn Barrett, Jean Wright, Cherie Dorn, Linda Brost, Barb Schroder, Vicky Hays, Cherie Winget, Paulette Duszynski, Dan Ely, Bob Rajotte, Bob Meyer, Sue Nelson, Diane Mickelson, Pat Oldfield, Terry Ruscin, Carole Everson.



Very interesting!

Band



Row 1: Mr. Olson, C. Hehl, D. Mickelson, B. Rude, K. Hoffman, K. Johnson, R. Manor. Row 2: N. Weegman, C. Simons, J. Weisheipl, G. Wroten, S. Beaver, S. Ness, R. Sundquist, S. Munden, M. Sundquist, J. Reed, K. Kleist, K. Gorenson, C. Everson. Row 3: T. Trehey, N. Larson, M. Foss, K. Kleist, P. Kovar, N. Wittren, K. Gorenson, S. Nelson, D. Paulson, A. Meyer, D. Mann. Row 4: J. Beaver, B. Grilley, R. Harris, G. Ness, P. Potter, S. Wood, C. Grimh, E. Wilcox, C. Odegard.



Our Majorette

Chorus



Row 1: C. Winget, V. Hays, R. Squires, B. Pecor, P. Simonson, P. Balow, L. Duszynski, B. Schroder, C. Sundquist, B. Wick, R. Welke, R. Carr, S. Crandall, S. Gunderson, E. Cerutti. Row 2: S. Hagedorn, B. Snyder, P. Silvernail, M. Stein, S. Weisheipl, K. Goranson, D. Wagner, C. Gillett, B. Radtke, B. Grilley, A. Robinson, S. Nelson, C. Odegard, Row 3: S. Silvernail, R. Harris, G. Brennan, J. Marquardt, L. Gloede, S. Gardow, C. Cota, C. Ness, T. Radtke, K. Tetzlaff, D. Quale, D. Zillmer, C. Franson. Row 4: S. Winget, S. Stouffer, P. Englebreton, R. Squires, D. Werner, S. Rumphol, C. Dorn, D. Everson, T. Trehey, J. Lowery, C. Larson, K. Davis, M. Rohde.



L. Duszynski, V. Hays, P. Simonson, S. Nelson, K. Goranson, C. Franson, C. Sundquist, C. Odegard, R. Welke.

GAA



Row 1: S. Winget, T. Trehey, G. Brennan. Row 2: S. Silvernail, J. Jaenke, T. Radtke, S. Stouffer, P. Wicklund, D. Johnson, R. Harris, S. Weisheipl, N. Wittren. Row 3: C. Sundquist, B. Schroder, S. Thompson, P. Melland, C. Larson, C. Ness, P. Brost, J. Paulson, R. Welke, K. Gillett. Row 4: S. Huftel, C. Winget, S. Olson, A. Zachau, C. Wittren, R. Carr, S. Nelson, B. Grilley, J. Baker, S. Hagedorn, D. Mickelson, D. Marten, S. Gunderson, D. Olson, D. Klee. Row 6: L. Brost, D. Everson, C. Dorn, A. Lostetter.



"I'll get this one myself!"



Up, up, and over!

Pep Club



Row 1: S. Stouffer, S. Winget, K. Davis, P. Wickland, V. Berg, S. Weisheipl, K. Klavetter, N. Wittren. Row 2: S. Silvernail, T. Trehey, C. Gillett, S. Crandall, S. Gardow, P. Brost, C. Ness, J. Paulson, R. Welke. Row 3: B. Schroder, R. Carr, S. Olson, C. Larson, L. Gloede, K. Tetzlaff, D. Werner, S. Hagedorn, D. Paulson. Row 4: C. Winget, P. Melland, A. Zachau, C. Wittren, J. Leland, S. Thompson, L. Brennan, S. Nelson, B. Wick. Row 5: P. Schultz, S. Huftel, V. Hays, L. Harris, L. Duszynski, D. Everson, D. Marten, S. Mickelson, D. Olson, P. Silvernail. Row 6: D. Mickelson, D. Klee, C. Odegard, A. Lostetter, B. Lancette, C. Sundquist, R. Harris, G. Brennan, B. Pecor, C. Cota, B. Grilley.



Everyone showed their school spirit.



"Come on you guys, let's go!"

Tumbling Club



Row 1: P. Ruscini, D. Rau, J. Thompson, D. Johnson, S. Johnson, D. Leland, B. Lancette, R. Franson, K. Hawken-
son. Row 2: A. Lostetter, P. Balow, B. Pecor, K. Klavetter, R. Harris, E. Cerutti, S. Huftel, D. Mickelson, M. Daken,
T. Radtke, M. Rieder, D. Johnson, C. Odegard. Row 3: S. Weisheipl, B. Grilley, S. Stouffer, T. Trehey, K. Davis, P.
Wicklund, S. Mickelson, V. Berg, D. Olson, P. Simonson, S. Gunderson, B. Schroder, B. Lancette, C. Franson.



Wrestling



Row 1: Mr. Streif, T. Patton. Row 2: D. Rau, J. Thalacker, D. Rajotte, S. Erickson, G. Hayes. Row 3: G. Squires, D. Johnson, R. Barnum, D. Board, T. Meyer.

The boys drill on holds and take downs.



Archery



Row 1: H. Baumbach, N. Semisch, J. Thalacker, Mr. Johnson, T. Najacht, S. Zillmer, J. Larson. Row 2: D. Rau, D. Ress, S. Buchholz, T. Meyer, S. Rogers, M. Markey, D. Giese, D. Olson.



"How did he say to put the arrow???"



"Hey, I got a bulls-eye!!!"

Golf



Row 1: B. Rasmussen, C. Everson, T. Hess, R. Radtke. Row 2: Mr. Pedersen, B. Borgerding, T. Nyseth.

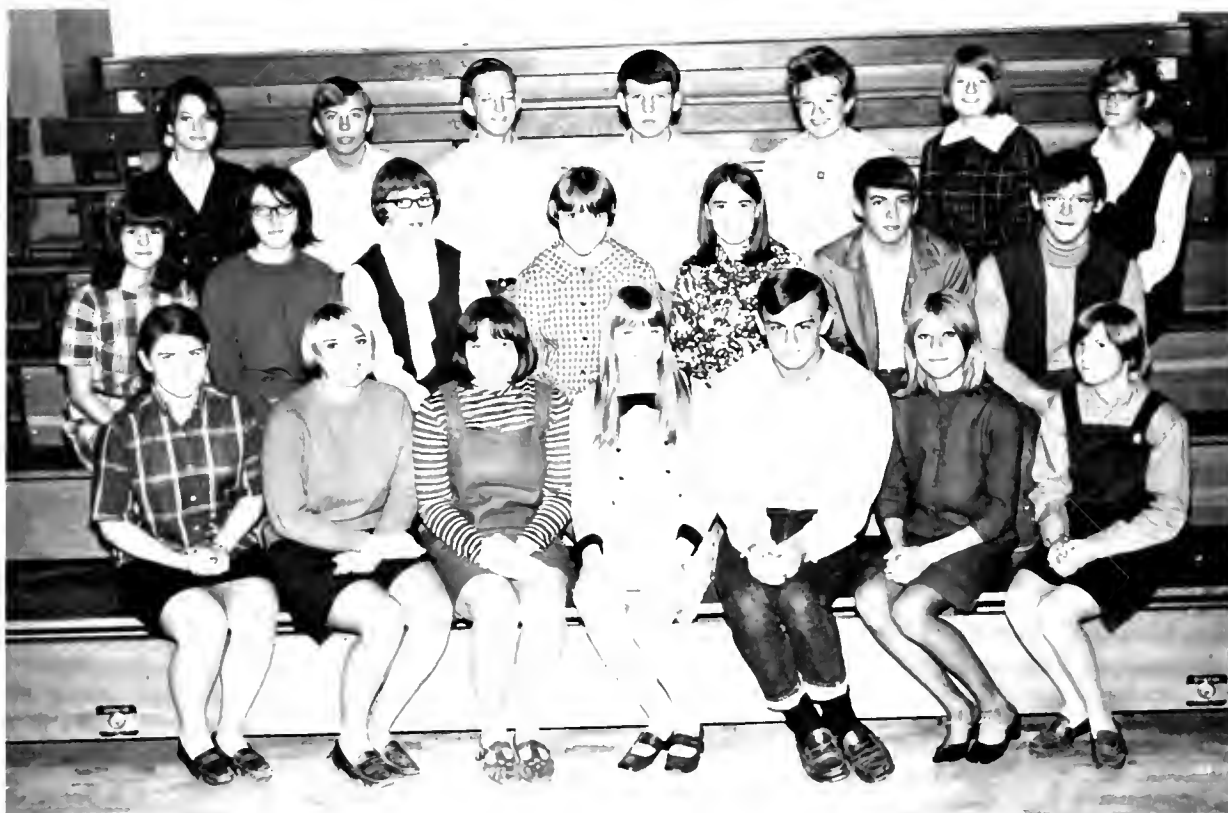


"Four!"



"Now, if I can hit the ball this time . . ."

Library Club



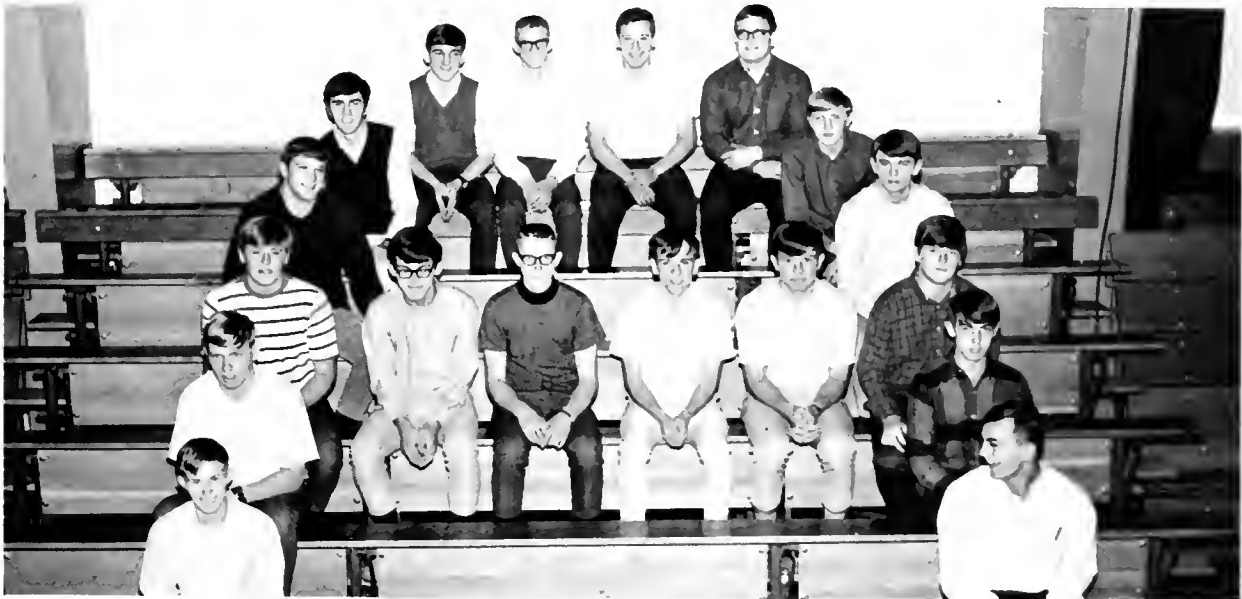
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Letter Club



Row 1: C. Sundquist, D. Mickelson, B. Schroder. Row 2: P. Schultz, D. Klee, A. Zachau, J. Paulson. Row 3: L. Duszynski, L. Brost, D. Marten, S. Olson. Row 4: K. Gillett, D. Paulson, N. Wittren, C. Odegard, D. Everson, C. Wittren. Row 5: S. Gunderson, P. Brost, S. Nelson, J. Leland. Row 6: S. Huftel, B. Lancette, A. Lostetter, D. Olson.



Row 1: B. Pecor, P. Melland, J. Reed, P. Hudson. Row 2: T. Najacht, J. Thalacker. Row 3: S. Struck, D. Hugdahl. Row 4: C. Hehl, B. Borgerding, T. Planert, J. Bohn, B. Bohn, S. Rodgers. Row 5: B. Gardow, D. Leland. Row 6: L. Olson, D. Johnson.

Forensics



Top to Bottom: B. Pecor, P. Ruscini, D. Quale, S. Rumphol, S. Nelson, S. Huftel, M. Rohde, D. Paulson, S. Silvernail.

Top to Bottom: T. Ohnstad, C. Sundquist, D. Johnson, D. Mickelson, D. Everson, K. Goranson, D. Zillmer, R. Carr, L. Duszynski.

Paper Staff



Row 1: A. Lostetter, S. Huftel, J. Jaenke, L. Brost, R. Welke, T. Ohnstad, H. Baumbach, J. Paulson, D. Klee, K. Gillett. Row 2: G. Simonson, D. Peterson, B. Grilley, S. Weisheipl, K. Tetzlaff, C. Ness, R. Carr, D. Paulson, S. Stouffer, B. Lancette, L. Olson. Row 3: C. Davis, M. Daken, J. Bohn, C. Sundquist, D. Everson, D. Mickelson, C. Dorn, S. Nelson, J. Daken, B. Pecor.



The creation of a newspaper.



Seniors helped to put the paper together.

Seniors of 1968



"Did you see that ball go sailing?"



"Are we supposed to be playing golf?"



Chow time!!!



The swinger of '68.



"What do I do now?"

A.H.S.: Where It's at



It's a mad, mad, mad, mad, mad school.



"We don't got no information on him."



Sweet and innocent Seniors.



"Wow! What a day!"



"Give me some air!"



"Okay, which one of you guys hid my Right guard!"



That's a funny way to grade papers!!!!!!



"Boy, those grades look poor!"



Cleaning house????



Altoona's newly formed Folk Singing Club.



One of our swingin' seniors!!!!



Pom-pom girls get ready to perform at halftime.



SPORTS . . . WHERE THE ACTION IS

Let's Shout for 'Our' Team!



C. Odegard, B. Lancette, D. Marten, A. Lostetter, D. Klee.



B. Lancette, D. Marten, C. Odegard, A. Lostetter, D. Klee.

The Team Who Ruled the Gridiron



Row 1: Mr. Schroeder, B. Bohn, J. Reed, T. Najacht, D. Johnson, C. Hehl, D. Hugdahl, S. Struck, P. Hudson, C. Chown, S. Buchholz, Mr. Bement. Row 2: J. Thalacker, B. Gardow, P. Melland, N. Rafferty, J. Bohn, B. Pecor, S. Rogers, D. Leland, R. Sloat, T. Baehr, J. Harris. Row 3: F. Rieder, S. Christ, B. Hubbard, L. Olson, G. Schlewitz, G. Squires, M. Huftel, B. Borgerding, N. Manor

We Drove to Score



Row 1: S. Struck, P. Hudson, J. Reed, T. Najacht, D. Johnson, C. Hehl, D. Hugdahl. Row 2: N. Rafferty, B. Bohn, B. Pecor, J. Bohn.



Bob Bohn



Jim Thalacker



Paul Hudson

Scores

Altoona	7	Augusta	6
Altoona	6	Stanley-Boyd	19
Altoona	12	Owen-Withee	26
Altoona	0	Gilman	31
Altoona	3	Fall Creek	0
Altoona	12	Cadott	7
Altoona	26	Holcombe	12
Altoona	15	Cornell	31



Steve Struck

Jon Reed



Doug Johnson



Tom Najacht





Neil Rafferty



Duane Hugdahl



Curt Hehl

The 1968 edition of the Altoona team was possibly the scrappiest team in the league. Pound for pound, they were smaller than every team they faced, but the gridders found salvation in their tiger-like running attack.

The four win, four loss record was most indicative of the fine blocking by Paul Hudson, Steve Struck, Tom Najacht, Doug Johnson, Jon Reed, Curt Hehl, and Duane Hugdahl, and the power-play running of Bob Pecor, Neil Rafferty, and Bob Bohn. Quarterback Jim Bohn got his passing game rolling in the last few games of the season, finding Steve Struck, Duane Hugdahl, Neil Rafferty, and Bob Pecor in the open after cleverly forcing the opponent out of their way.

Defensively, the Rails were said to be the hardest tackling team in the league.

All in all, this team could be summed up as being the most coachable, toughest men we've had under our direction.



Jim Bohn

James Schroeder
Gregory A Bement

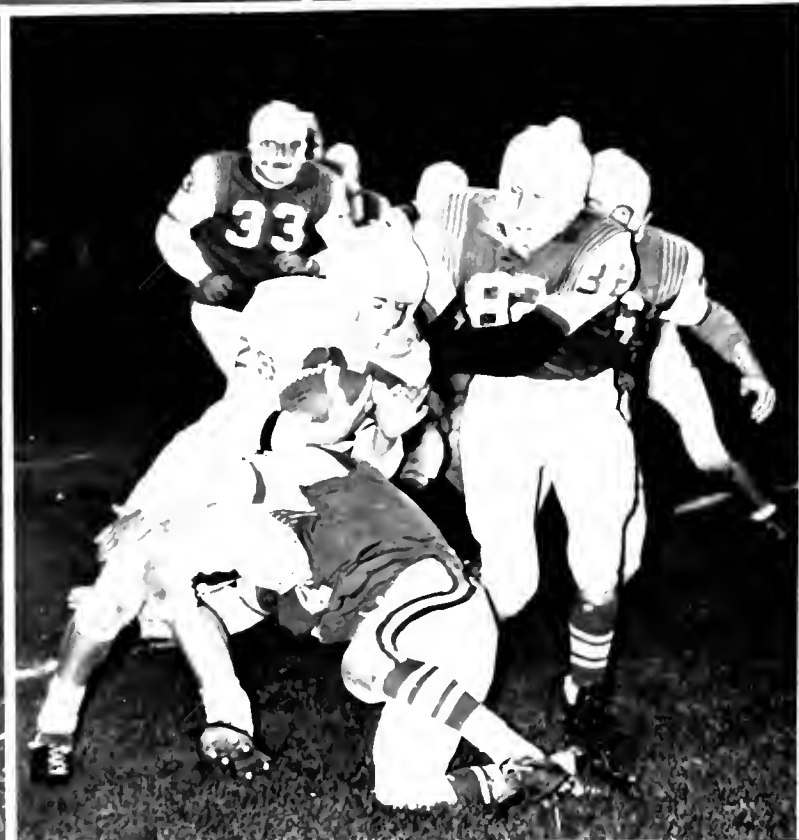
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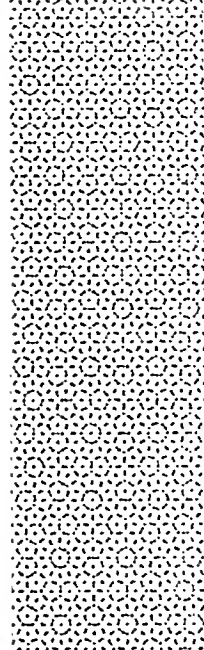
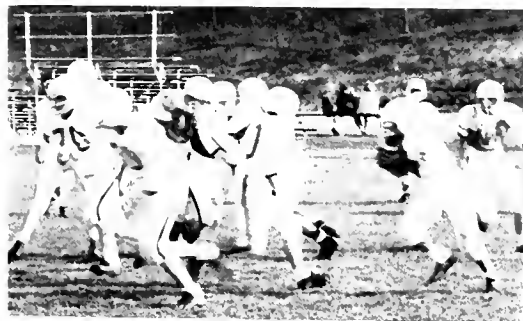
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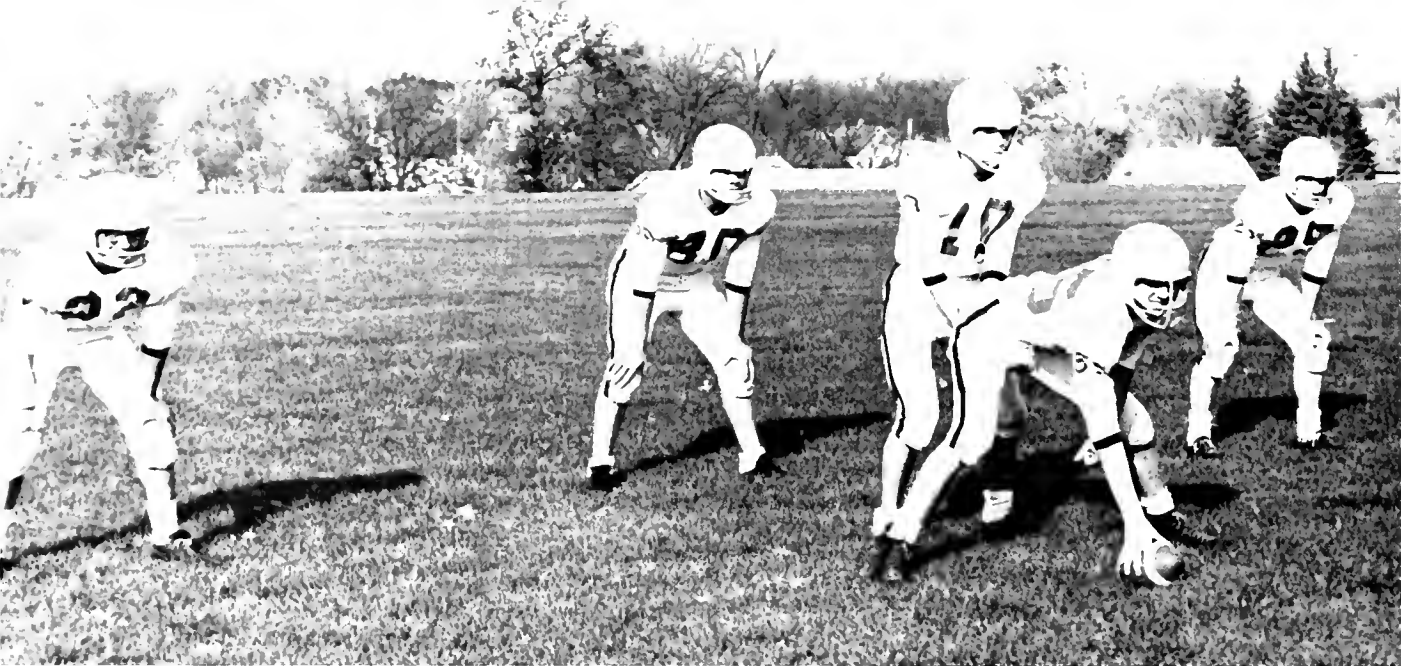
Bruce Gardow



Memories of a Great Season









All Here? Let's Cheer!



A Squad

Annette, Debbie, Diane, Caryle, Becky.



B Squad

Connie, Becky, Bobbie, Ruth, Gail.



Row 1: G. Brennan, C. Cota, B. Grilley, R. Harris, B. Pecor. Row 2: D. Klee, A. Lostetter, C. Odegard, B. Lancette, D. Mickelson.

A & B Squads



Coach Bredesen, J. Bohn, B. Pecor, P. Melland, B. Bohn, T. Baehr, T. Planert, S. Struck, K. Hoffman, C. Hehl, R. Zachau, G. Bresina, D. Hugdahl. Managers: M. Kovar, F. Olson.



Row 1: M. Bethke, R. Radtke, B. Bohn, T. Baehr, B. Rasmussen, B. Hubbard, R. Olson, Coach Schroeder. Row 2: C. Wick, K. Hoffman, R. Zachau, B. Borgerding, B. Klee, G. Johnson, N. Manor.

Pacers of the Court



Coach Bredesen, B. Pecor, G. Bresina, D. Hugdahl, S. Struck, J. Bohn, T. Planert.

Consistency was not always ours, but few teams could afford to take the scarlet and black lightly this season. The Rails fought hard to maintain their position in the league standings. At times we faltered; but when the job had to be done, our red and black fought back with the spirit that has characterized the Rail teams of the past. Many past teams have been great, but pound for pound, inch for inch, the 1969 team need take a back seat to none. Hats off to them for a job well done.

Robert E. Bredesen



Curt Hehl



Bob Bohn



Steve Struck



Tom Planert



Ted Baehr



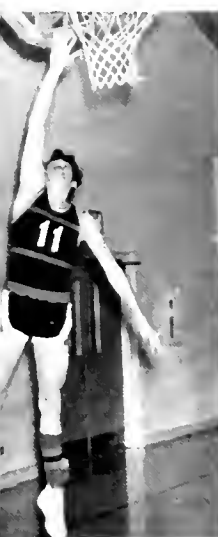
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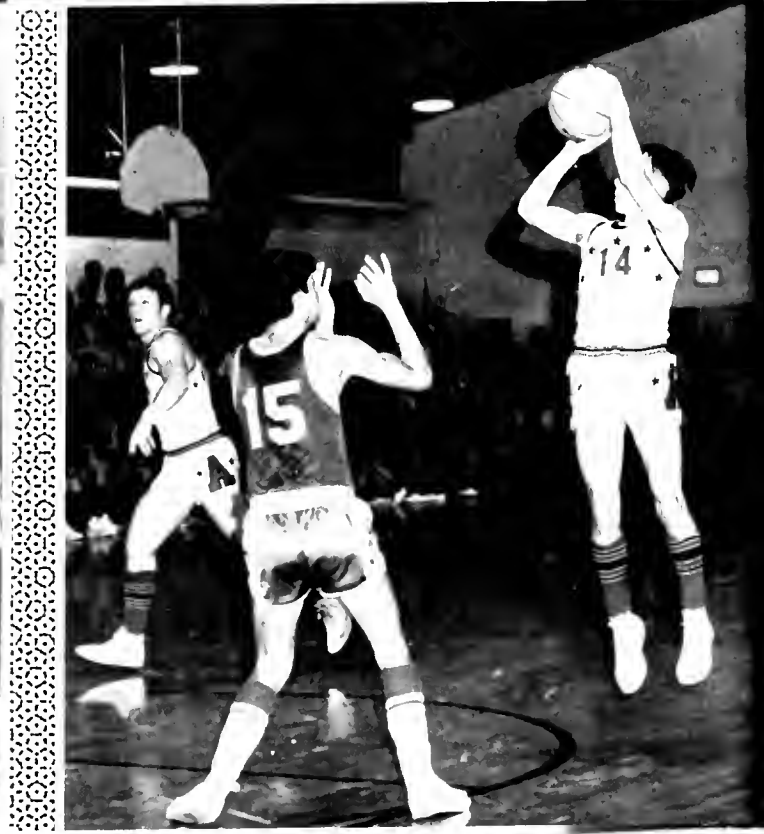


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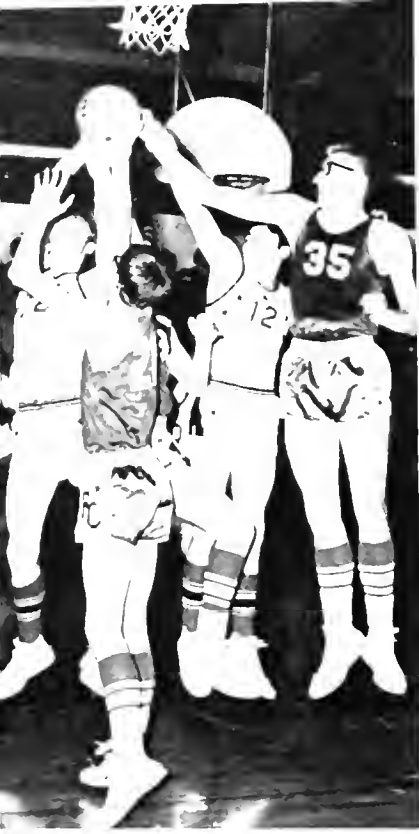


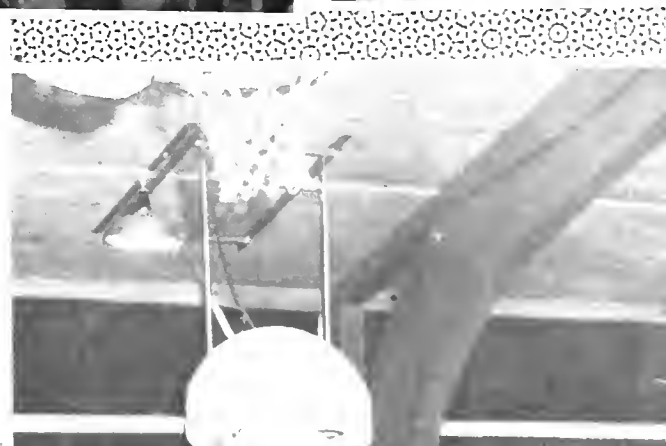
Rick Zachau

Where the Action Is!









Track Team



Row 1: C. Schlewitz. Row 2: E. Radtke, S. Struck. Row 3: R. Lostetter, G. Stone, T. Hudson. Row 4: J. Schlewitz, T. Najdeht, G. Bresina, T. Planert. Row 5: C. Chown, J. Bohn, L. Squires, N. Rafferty, B. Landette, M. Johnson, Coach Schroeder. Row 6: D. Ely, C. Hehl, B. Cerutti, D. Hugdahl, T. Meyer, D. Board.

Scores

Altoona	65½	Colfax	55½
Altoona	102	Eleva Strum	102
Altoona	79	Augusta	39
Altoona	87½	Cadott	30½
Altoona	86	Osseo	31
Altoona	69	North	49
Altoona	78	Fall Creek	40
Altoona	71	Stanley-Boyd	47
Altoona	75	McDonnell	43
Altoona	103	Fall Creek	12
Cloverbelt - Tied			
Altoona	44	Greenwood	44



"Look I'm a bird, I'm a bird!!!!!"



Here comes Dan!!!!!!



"Look at that baby go!!!!!"



"Just an inch more and I'll make it!!"



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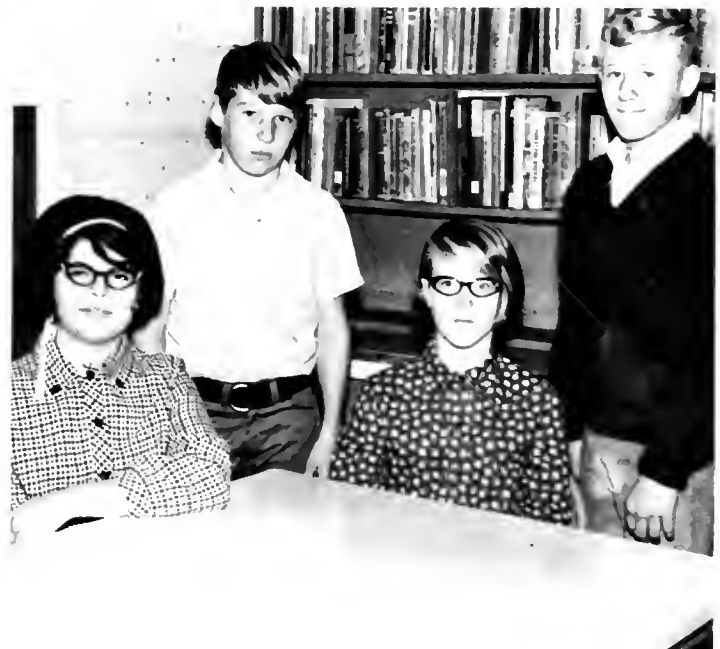
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J. Weisheipl, L. Baumbach, S. Larson, P. Haugen.



D. Rosentrater, T. Meyer, K. Utphal, T. Werner.

Eighth Grade



B. Babbit
C. Balow
C. Balow
C. Barden
R. Berg



R. Board
E. Bohn
J. Brock
C. Card
S. Carlson



D. Ely
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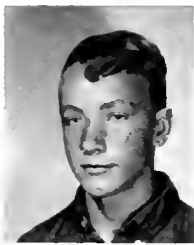
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R. Manor
K. McDonald
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A. Monson
S. Munden



B. Olson
G. Ottinger
B. Pecor
L. Quale
A. Radtke



C. Raether
T. Real
W. Rohde
M. Roosevelt
S. Simons



K. Sloat
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K. Staves
M. Steidtman
C. Stone



K. Sturz
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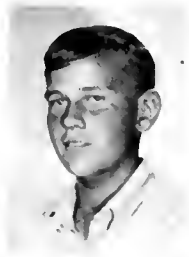


S. Volkman
A. Wagner
N. Weigman
G. Wick
G. Wroten



D. Wicklund
W. Zell
S. Zemple

Seventh Grade



D. Ash
J. Baraboo
K. Barden
J. Baumbach
S. Beaver



C. Brown
C. Card
K. Cerutti
D. Christ
D. Christ



J. Davis
R. DeWitz
R. Feather
M. Foss
G. Goodpastor



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D. Gunderson
D. Gunderson
L. Hasenmueller
P. Haugen
L. Hehl



E. Hemenway
K. Hubbard
B. Johnson
S. Johnson
K. Kleist



P. Kovar
N. Larson
S. Larson
D. Lukkasson
D. Mann



A. Mayer
L. McMannis
J. Melland
T. Meyer
T. Munden



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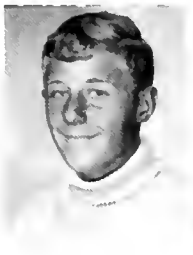
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D. Tetzloff
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C. Wenaas
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Junior High Activities



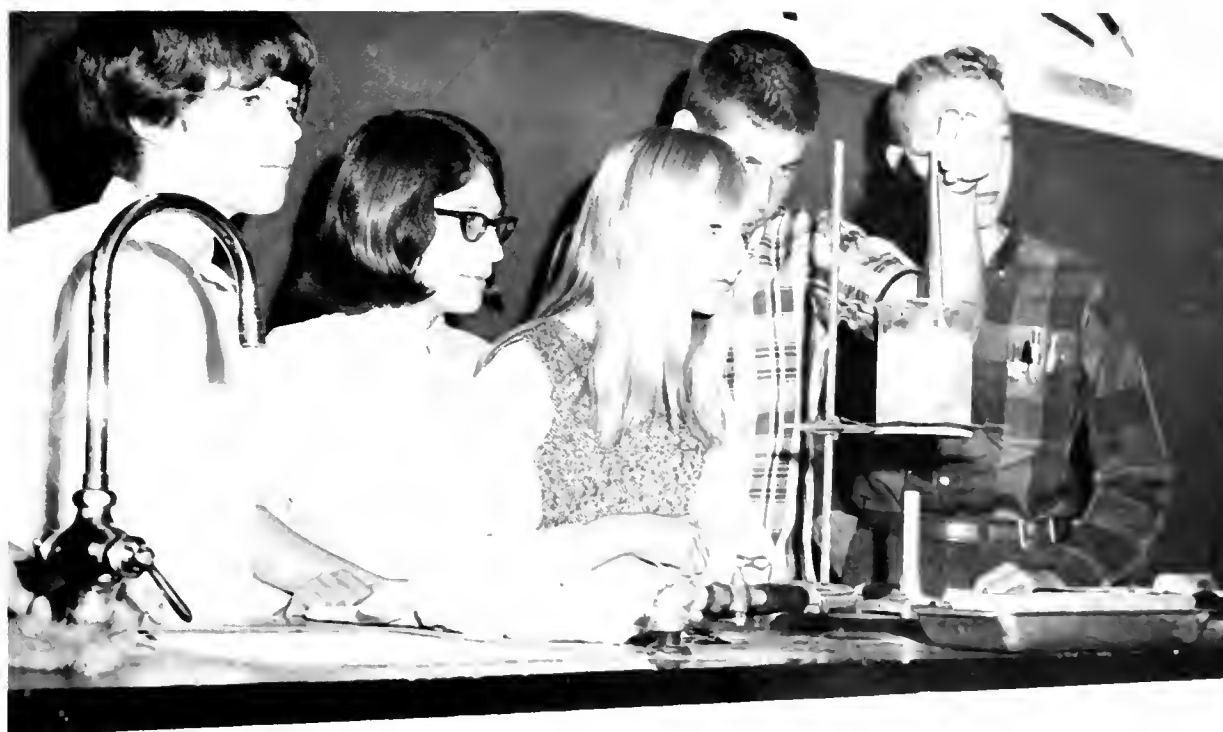
Junior high girls patiently waited for their names to be called off for being elected a cheerleader.



The five happy girls after a long awaited moment.



The scientists of all times.

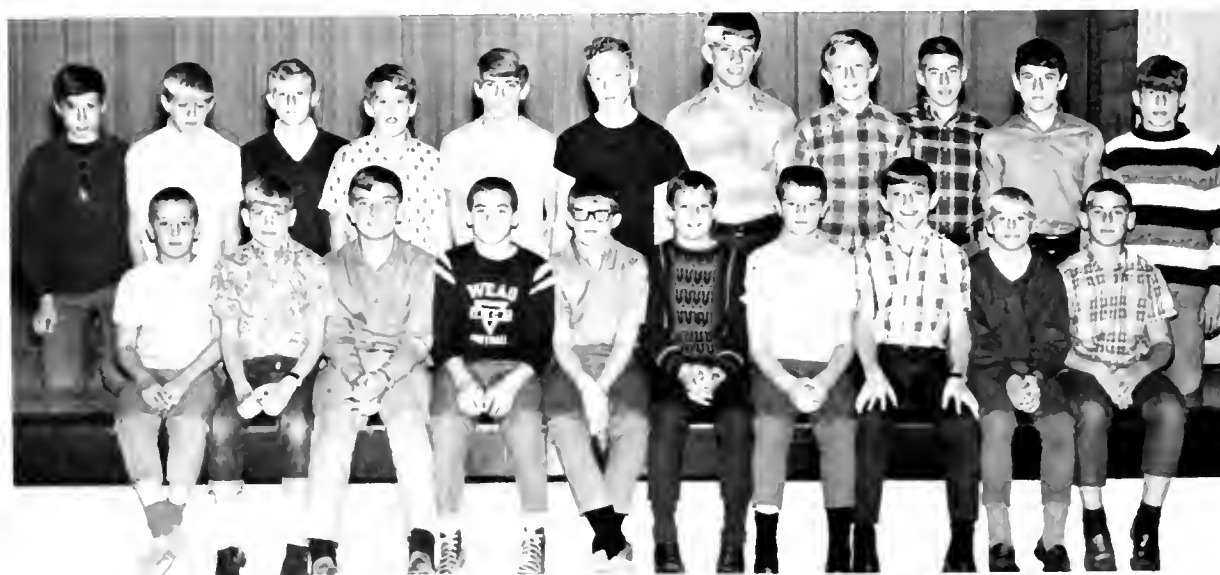


One more drop of this stuff, and "POOF"

Chorus and Football



Row 1: D. Rosentrator, C. Brown, K. Johnson, C. Jordan, A. Wagner, C. Raether, A. Monsen, K. Schelley, S. Volkman, C. Stone, G. Wick, J. Brock. Row 2: D. Wicklund, C. Balow, P. Snyder, P. Holtz, S. Zemple, S. Ness, K. Kleist, L. Hasenmueller, N. Larson, P. Seig, M. McMannis, L. Quale. Row 3: S. Feather, C. Simons, K. Utphal, K. Hubbard, J. Beaver, B. Babbitt, N. Weegman, L. Hall, C. Balow, C. Harris, K. Kleist, C. Crad, V. Olson. Row 4: B. Johnson, L. Thompson, D. Paffel, R. Manor, M. Mickelson, C. Olson, J. Baraboo, M. Rohde, P. Potter, M. Foss, S. Newman, J. Melland, J. Weisheipl.



Row 1: D. Ash, S. Munden, T. Werner, D. Ely, J. Gonyea, B. Rohde, E. Bohn, P. Haugen, B. Olson, K. Sturz, K. McDonald. Row 2: D. Christ, J. Thompson, K. Barden, D. Christ, T. Munden, R. Sundquist, K. Staves, B. Pecor, P. Larson, J. Leland.

Basketball and Cheerleaders



Row 1: L. Baumbach, K. Sturz, P. Haugen, B. Rohde, E. Bohn, B. Olson, J. Gonyea. Row 2: T. Munden, D. Christ, T. Werner, J. Weisheipl, K. Staves, B. Pecor, J. Leland, D. Gillett. Row 3: M. Kovar, W. Olson, R. Berg, D. Lukkusson, R. Sundquist, D. Ely, S. Carlson, G. Thompson, Mr. Bement. Row 4: C. Wenaus, D. Christ, S. Larson, T. Meyer, K. Goranson, R. Board, J. Gutsch, K. Nimmo.



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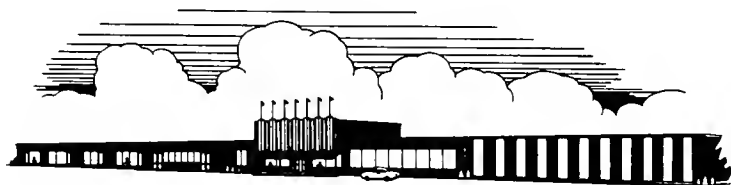
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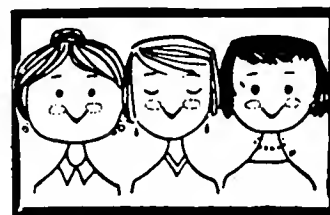


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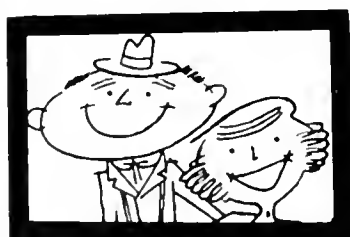
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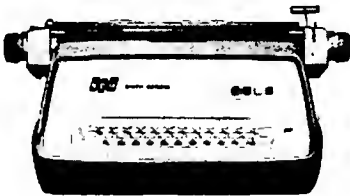
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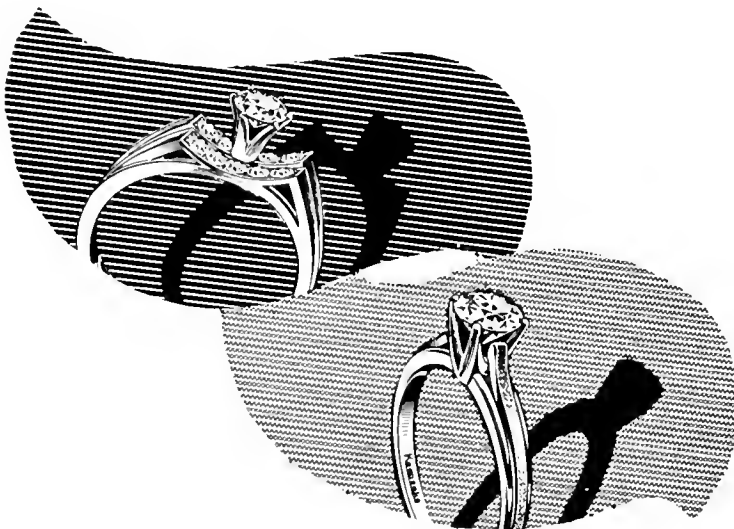


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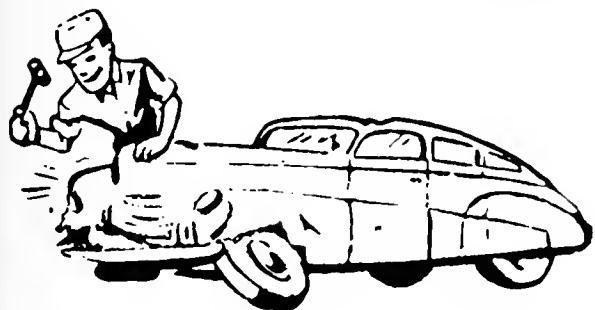
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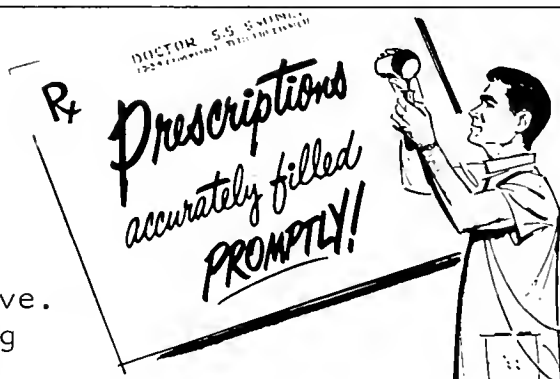
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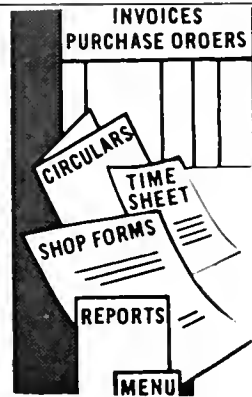
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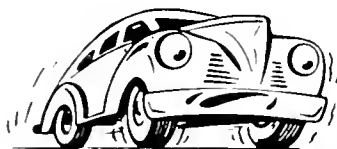


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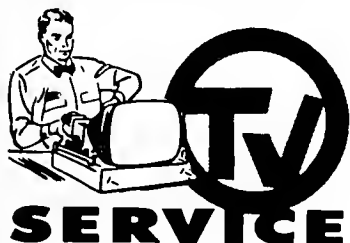


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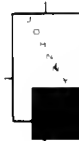
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